

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

Art Unit: 1626

CHENG ET AL.

Examiner: Ebenezer O. Sackey

APPLICATION NO: Division of Application

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FOR: SUBSTITUTED ACID DERIVATIVES USEFUL AS ANTIDIABETIC  
AND ANTI OBESITY AGENTS AND METHOD

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application to read as follows.